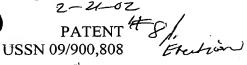
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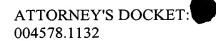
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RESPONSE TO ELECTION/RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

In response to the Office Action mailed January 2, 2002, Applicant hereby elects to prosecute Group IV (Claims 24-37) for prosecution, without traverse. Claims 21, 22, 23 and 38-42 are withdrawn from the above-identified patent application without prejudice or disclaimer.





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